IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application Number : 10/715,417 Confirmation No · 5850

Applicant : Eivind Per Thor STRATEN et al.

Filed : November 19, 2003

Title : SURVIVIN-DERIVED PEPTIDES AND USE THEREOF

TC/Art Unit : 1644

Examiner: : Marianne DiBrino, Ph.D.

Docket No. : 60820.000004

Customer No. : 21967

MAIL STOP AF

Commissioner For Patents P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir,

The following amendments and remarks are responsive to the Final Office Action dated December 28, 2009, (hereinafter the "Office Action") in the subject application. This response is timely filed within the period set for reply without extensions of time (March 28, 2010 being a Sunday). It is believed that no fees are required for entry of these amendments, but should any fees be necessary, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fees, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0206.

Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following amendments in the subject application and reconsideration of the claimed subject matter in view of the following amendments and remarks. Responsive to the Office Action, please amend the above-captioned application as set forth below.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 3.